TV User's Guide

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Important Information

WARNING

To reduce the risk of fire or shock hazard, do not expose this TV to rain or moisture.

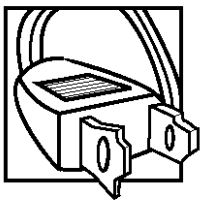
WARNING

RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK DO NOT OPEN

To reduce the risk of electric shock, do not remove cover (or back). No user serviceable parts inside. Refer servicing to qualified service personnel.

This symbol indicates "dangerous voltage" inside the product that presents a risk of electric shock or personal injury.

This symbol indicates important instructions accompanying the product.



Caution: To prevent electric shock, match wide blade of plug to wide slot, fully insert.

Attention: Pour éviter les chocs électriques, introduire la lame la plus large de la fiche dans la borne correspondante de la prise et pousser jusqú au fond.

Refer to the identification/rating label located on the back panel of your product for its proper operating voltage.

FCC Regulations state that unauthorized changes or modifications to this equipment may void the user's authority to operate it.

If fixed (non-moving) images are left on the screen for long periods, they may be permanently imprinted on the screen. Such images include network logos, phone numbers, and video games. This damage is not covered by your warranty. Extended viewing of channels displaying these images should be avoided.

Cable TV Installer: This reminder is provided to call your attention to Article 820-40 of the National Electrical Code (Section 54 of the Canadian Electrical Code, Part 1) which provides guidelines for proper grounding and, in particular, specifies that the cable ground shall be connected to the grounding system of the building as close to the point of cable entry as practical.

Product Registration

Please fill out the product registration card and return it immediately. Returning the card allows us to contact you if needed.

Keep your sales receipt to obtain warranty parts and service and for proof of purchase. Attach it here and record the serial and model numbers in case you need them. The numbers are located on the back of the television.

Model No. _____

Serial No. _____

Purchase Date: _____

Dealer/Address/Phone: _____

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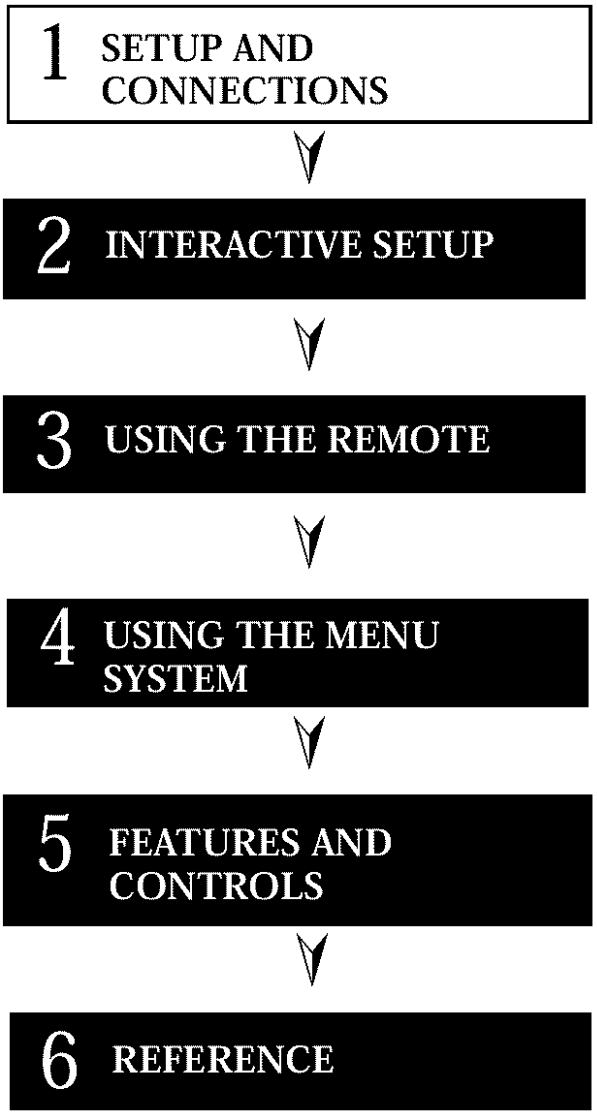
Getting Started

This manual is designed to get you started quickly. The first five sections of the manual show you how to get your TV setup and connected, run the interactive setup, program the remote, and use all of the menus, features, and controls of your TV.

The Reference section in the back of the book contains troubleshooting tips, care and cleaning instructions, accessory ordering information and your warranty.

Well...if your TV's out of the box, let's get started.



Check out the notes that have been added throughout the manual in these tip boxes. There are some important tips that will help you get the most from your TV.

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Setup and Connections

Step 1: Unpack the TV

Make sure to locate the remote control.

Step 2: Connect Your TV

There are three types of connections outlined in this section:

TV Only: If you're only going to connect the TV to your home antenna or cable system.

The Basic Connection: If you're going to connect the TV to a VCR or satellite receiver.

Advanced Connections: If you're going to make multiple connections, hooking up the TV to a VCR and a satellite receiver.

Cable information and illustrations are given for each type of connection. Once you have completed your desired connection you may skip forward to Step 3.

TV Only

This is a basic connection from an antenna or cable system to your TV. Connect the cable into the Cable/Antenna jack as shown.

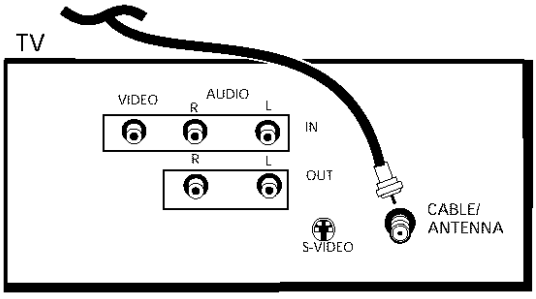
Note that the PIP function is not available with this connection.

Cables

You will use the following cable to make your connection:

Coaxial Cable: These cables carry audio and video signals to the TV from an antenna, cable, or cable box.

CABLE, CABLE BOX, OR ANTENNA



Important Stand Information

CAUTION: Choose the location for your TV carefully. Take precautions that the stand or other furniture on which the TV is placed is properly located (see Important Safeguards sheet) and of adequate size and strength to prevent the TV from accidentally being tipped over, pushed off, or pulled off. This could cause damage to the TV and/or personal injury.

Before You Connect

Protect against power surges:

- **Connect all components before plugging any power cords into the wall outlet.**
- **Turn off the TV and/or component before connecting or disconnecting any cables.**
- **Make sure all antennas and cables are properly grounded. Refer to the Important Safeguards sheet packed with your TV.**

Once you have completed this connection you may skip to Step 3.

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Setup and Connections

The Basic Connection

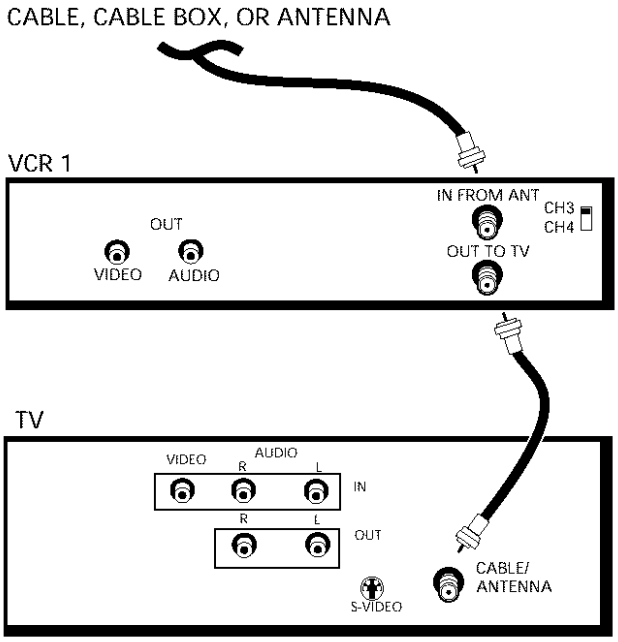
The basic connection below (TV and VCR) is the most common connection and is therefore used to illustrate a single component connection with your TV. For better sound and picture quality and multiple component connection information refer to the description of Advanced Connections, later in this section.

Note that the PIP function is not available with this connection.

Cables

You will use the following type of cable to make your connection:

Coaxial Cables: In this connection, two coaxial cables are used: one connects from an antenna, cable, or cable box to the VCR, and one connects from the VCR to the TV. These cables carry both audio and video signals.



Once you have completed this connection you may skip to Step 3.

How to View the VCR

To watch the VCR in this connection tune TV to Channel 3 or 4.

Later, in the *Interactive Setup* section you will learn how to program the TV to automatically tune to Channel 3 or 4.

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Advanced Connections

Advanced connections give you better sound and video by separating the audio and video signals and enabling you to connect multiple components.

This section describes the types of inputs available on the back of your TV and suggests ways you can use them for optimum performance.

Once you have made your connections you will need to program the TV to tune to the correct video input channel in order to see and hear audio and video from the component. You will program this later in the *Interactive Setup* section.

Back of the TV

The diagram below describes each of the back panel jacks. When connecting A/V cables, be sure to connect corresponding outputs and inputs (Video to Video, Right Audio to Right Audio, etc.). When connecting an S-Video cable, you must also connect an Audio/Video cable to the AUDIO R and L jacks.

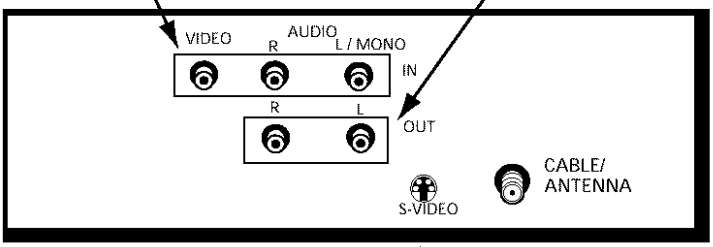
Video and Audio Inputs

Connect any one of the following components:
- VCR
- Laserdisc Player
- Satellite Receiver
- Internet Access Device
- DVD Player

To view the component connected to VIDEO, use the WHO•INPUT button on the remote.

Audio Outputs

Connect to an audio receiver or amplifier for variable controlled or fixed level stereo output.



S-Video

This optional connection can be used for better video quality.

Cable/Antenna

Takes the signal input from a cable, cable box, or an off-air antenna. Can also be used for basic component connections.

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Sample Connections

The following are sample connection scenarios you may encounter when connecting components to your TV. Note: when connecting an S-Video cable, you must also connect an Audio/Video cable to the AUDIO R and L jacks.

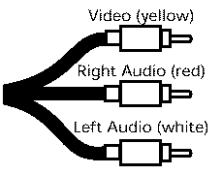
Cables

You will use the following types of cables to make your connections:

Coaxial Cables: Carry the signal from the antenna or cable directly to the television or through a cable box, as needed by your cable system.

Audio/Video Cables*: Carry audio and video from a component to the TV.

S-Video Cables: Carry video from an S-Video capable component which provides best picture quality.



* Most Audio/Video cables are combined into one cable with three heads on each end. We show individual cables in these sample connections. Either may be used, but you must be sure to connect Video to Video, Right to Right and Left to Left.

Cautions:

Position Cables to Avoid Audio Hum or Interference

- **Insert all cables firmly into jacks.**
- **Place the audio/video cables to the sides of the TV's back panel instead of straight down the middle.**
- **Try not to coil any twin-lead cables and keep them away from the audio/video cables.**

Protect Your Components From Overheating

- **Do not block ventilation holes in any of the components. Arrange the components so that air can circulate freely.**
- **Do not stack components.**
- **Allow adequate ventilation when placing your components in a stand.**
- **Place an amplifier on the top shelf of the stand so heated air rising from it will not flow around other components.**

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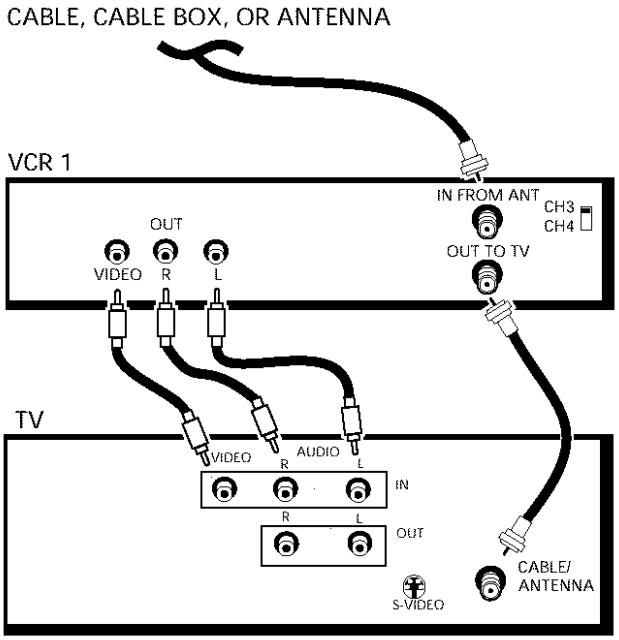
TV and Stereo VCR

Compared to the basic connection, using Audio/Video and S-Video (if available) cables will enhance the sound and picture quality from a component. The PIP function is available with this connection.



How to View Your VCR

To watch the VCR in this connection, press TV to put the remote control into TV mode, then press WHO•INPUT to scroll to the video (VID) input.

In the *Interactive Setup* section you will learn how to program the TV to automatically tune to the VID input channel.

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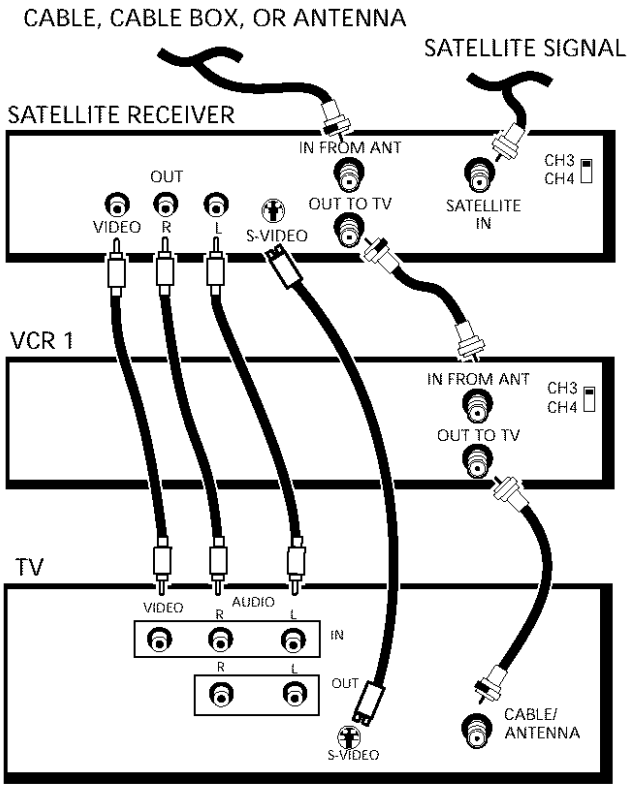
Setup and Connections

TV, Stereo, and Satellite Receiver

The PIP function is available with this connection.



How to View Your Components

To watch the satellite receiver in this connection, press TV to put the remote control into TV mode, then press WHO•INPUT to scroll to the VID (or S-VID) input.

To watch the VCR in this connection, enter 03 to tune to the VCR channel.

In the *Interactive Setup* section, you will learn how to program the TV to automatically tune to the correct input channel.

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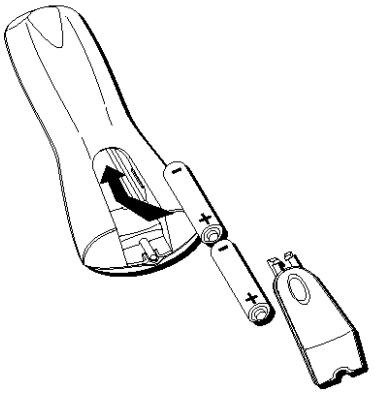
Step 3: Plug in the TV

Plug the end into the wall outlet, matching the wide blade of the plug with the wide slot in the outlet. Be sure to insert the plug completely.

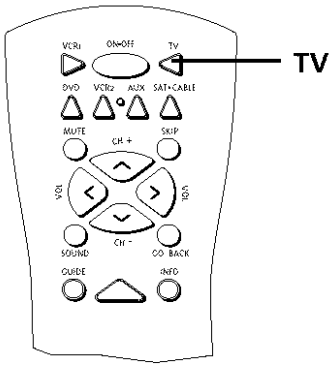
Step 4: Place Batteries in Remote



- Remove the battery compartment cover from the back of the remote.
- Insert fresh batteries. Make sure that the polarities (+ and -) are aligned correctly.
- Replace the cover.

Step 5: Turn On the TV

Press TV on the remote, or press POWER on the TV itself. Pressing the TV button not only turns on the TV, but puts the remote into TV mode, so that the buttons on the remote will control TV functions.



Step 6: Program the TV

Proceed to the next section, *Interactive Setup*. The interactive setup routine walks you through the steps needed to configure the TV.

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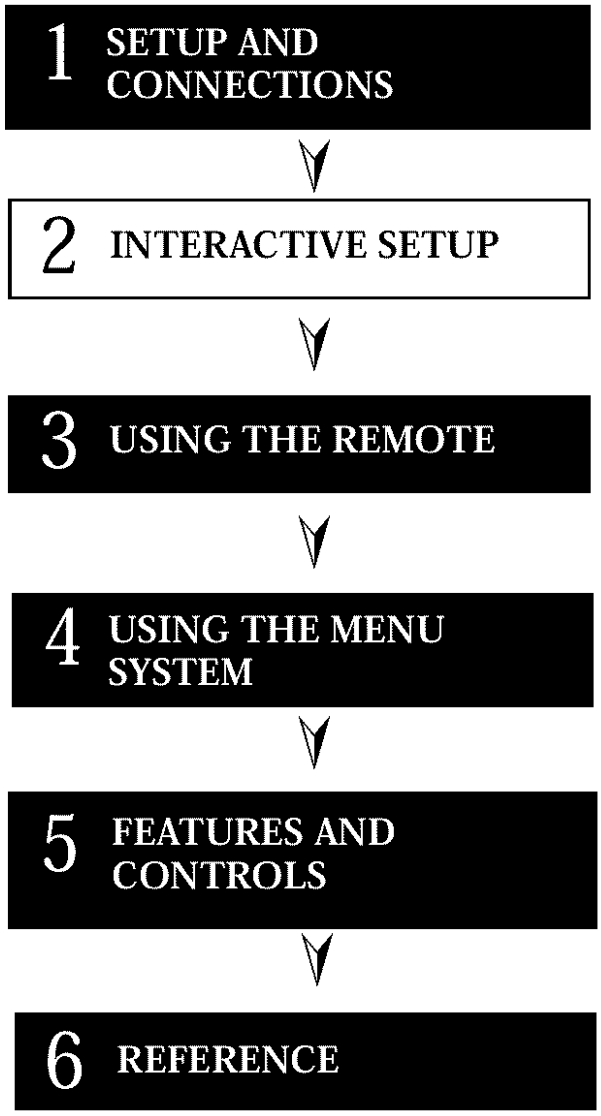
There's an On-Screen Setup Routine

The interactive setup routine helps you through the steps needed to configure the TV:

- Select a menu language
- Search for available channels
- Set the time
- Set the VCR1 channel
- Set the VCR2 channel
- Set the DVD channel
- Set the SAT/CABLE channel
- Make the channel list and labels



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Interactive Setup

Using Point and Select

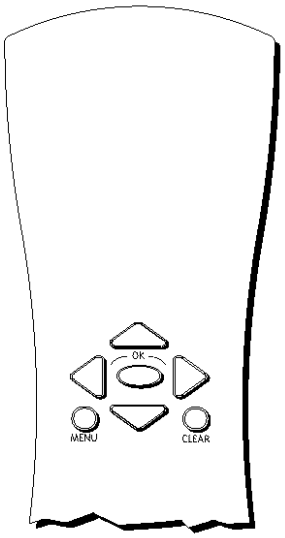
You only need to know one rule when using the remote to access on-screen menus and control panels: point and select. The point and select method has two steps.

1. **Point** to a menu item using the MOVE arrows on the remote.

   To point up or down, press the up or down arrows. To point left or right, press the left or right arrows.

2. **Select** a menu item by pressing MENU or OK.

   Selecting an item tells the TV's menu system to go ahead and make the change or go to a place you have indicated.

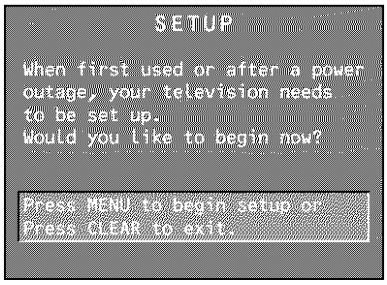


Point and Select buttons

Entering Setup

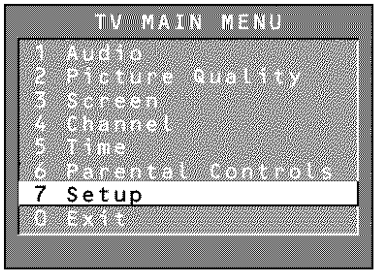
The first screen of the Interactive Setup appears automatically when you turn on your TV for the first time or after a power outage.

1. Press MENU to begin setup or CLEAR to exit.


SETUP
When first used or after a power outage, your television needs to be set up.
Would you like to begin now?
Press MENU to begin setup or Press CLEAR to exit.

You can also access the Interactive Setup through the Main menu:

1. Press MENU to bring up the Main menu.



2. Point to *Setup* and press MENU or OK. The first Setup screen comes up, asking you to confirm that you want to begin.

You can also select a menu item by entering the item number with the digit buttons on the remote.

Press CLEAR at any time to remove all displays from the screen and return to TV viewing.

Many VCR user manuals refer to a PROGRAM button. The MENU button on this remote works as a PROGRAM button in VCR mode. Other manuals may refer to a SELECT button. The OK button on this remote works as a SELECT button.

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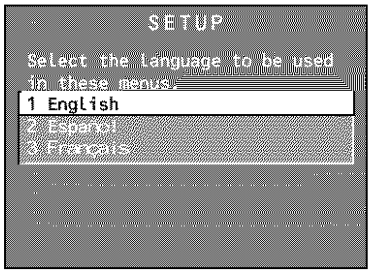
3. Point to *Begin setup now* and press MENU or OK.

Selecting a Language

The first part of the setup routine asks you to select your preferred language for the menu system.



1. Point to your preferred language for the menu system.
2. Press MENU or OK to select that language.

Auto Channel Search

The next part of the setup routine asks you if you want the TV to search for all channels viewable through your antenna or cable TV system. This is sometimes called "auto programming."

1. Press MENU or OK to tell the TV to begin searching for channels. When done, press MENU or OK to continue.

If you skip Auto Channel Search now, you can access it later through the Channel menu. See *Using the Menu System* for more details.

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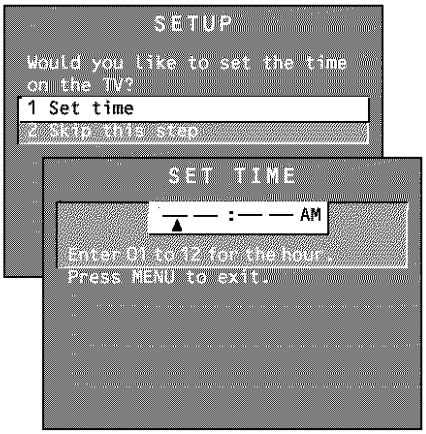
Interactive Setup

Setting the Time

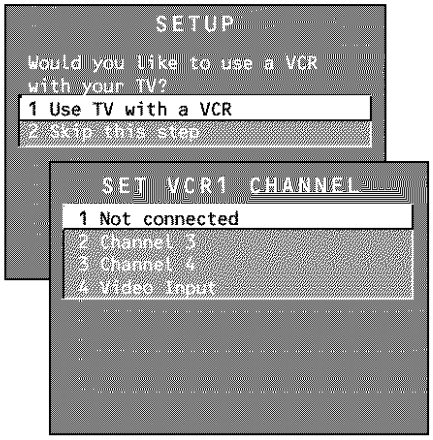
The next step in the Interactive Setup lets you set the time of day.


SETUP
Would you like to set the time on the TV?
1 Set time
2 Skip this step
SET TIME
__ : __ AM
Enter 01 to 12 for the hour.
Press MENU to exit.

1. Press MENU or OK to bring up the Set Time control panel.
2. Use the left and right arrows to point to the hour and minutes spaces. Use the digits to enter the numbers and the up and down arrows to change from AM to PM.
3. Press MENU or OK to continue.

Setting the VCR1 Channel (Auto Tuning)

The next step lets you set the VCR1 channel. When you set the VCR1 channel, you're telling the TV what channel to tune to when you press the VCR1 button on the remote. This is called auto tuning.


SETUP
Would you like to use a VCR with your TV?
1 Use TV with a VCR
2 Skip this step
SET VCR1 CHANNEL
1 Not connected
2 Channel 3
3 Channel 4
4 Video input

Indicate which input you used to connect the VCR. If you don't have a VCR1 component connected to the TV, skip this step or select *Not Connected* from the VCR1 Channel choice list. (For more, see Auto Tuning in the *Using the Menu System* section.)

1. Press MENU or OK to bring up the VCR1 choice list.
2. Point to the choice that matches the way you have your VCR connected to the TV.
3. Press MENU or OK to continue.

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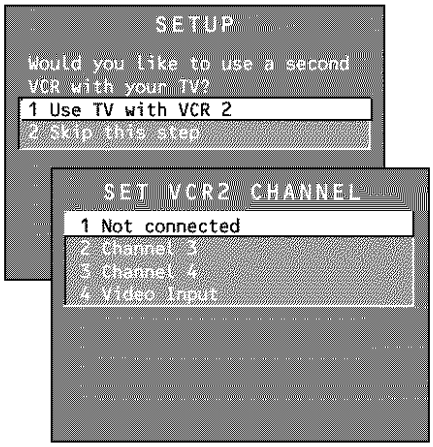
Setting the VCR2 Channel (Auto Tuning)

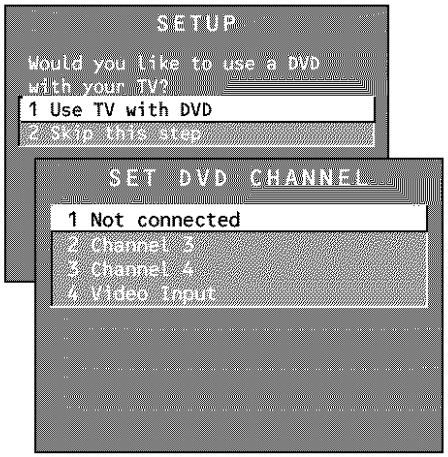

SETUP
Would you like to use a second VCR with your TV?
1 Use TV with VCR 2
2 Skip this step
SET VCR2 CHANNEL
1 Not connected
2 Channel 3
3 Channel 4
4 Video Input

The next step lets you set the VCR2 channel. When you set the VCR2 channel, you're telling the TV what channel to tune to when you press the VCR2 button on the remote.

Indicate which input you used to connect a second VCR. If you don't have a second VCR component connected to the TV, skip this step or select *Not Connected* from the VCR2 Channel choice list. (For more, see Auto Tuning in the *Using the Menu System* section.)

1. Press MENU or OK to bring up the VCR2 choice list.
2. Point to the choice that matches the way you have your second VCR connected to the TV.
3. Press MENU or OK to continue.

Setting the DVD Channel (Auto Tuning)



The next step lets you set the DVD channel. When you set the DVD channel, you're telling the TV what channel to tune to when you press the DVD button on the remote.

Indicate which input you used to connect a DVD player. If you don't have a DVD player connected to the TV, skip this step or select *Not Connected* from the DVD Channel choice list. (For more, see Auto Tuning in the *Using the Menu System* section.)

1. Press MENU or OK to bring up the DVD choice list.
2. Point to the choice that matches the way you have your DVD player connected to the TV.
3. Press MENU or OK to continue.

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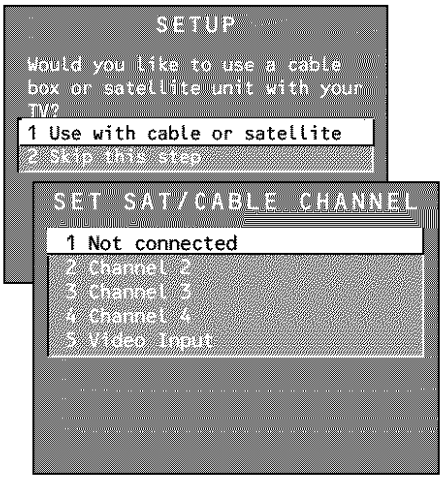
Setting the SAT/CABLE Channel (Auto Tuning)

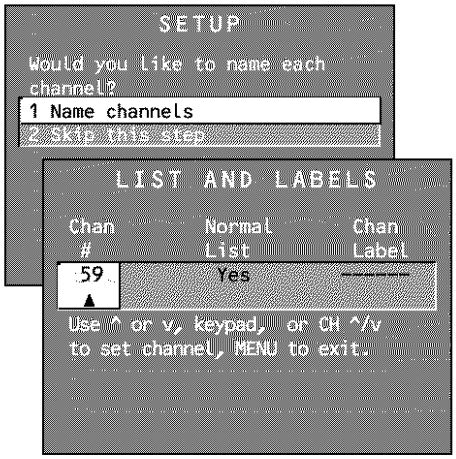

SETUP
Would you like to use a cable box or satellite unit with your TV?
1 Use with cable or satellite
2 Skip this step
SET SAT/CABLE CHANNEL
1 Not connected
2 Channel 2
3 Channel 3
4 Channel 4
5 Video Input

The next step lets you set the SAT/CABLE channel. When you set the SAT/CABLE channel, you're telling the TV what channel to tune to when you press the SAT•CABLE button on the remote.

Indicate which input you used to connect a satellite receiver or a cable box. If you don't have a satellite receiver or cable box connected to the TV, skip this step or select *Not Connected* from the SAT/CABLE Channel choice list. (For more, see Auto Tuning in the *Using the Menu System* section.)

1. Press MENU or OK to bring up the SAT/CABLE choice list.
2. Point to the choice that matches the way you have your satellite receiver or cable box connected to the TV.
3. Press MENU or OK to continue.

Labeling the Channels



This last step in the Interactive Setup lets you edit your channel list and label your channels. (For more, see List and Labels in the *Using the Menu System* section.)

1. Press MENU or OK to bring up the List and Labels control panel.
2. Use the left and right arrows to point to the three different areas of the control panel (called "fields").
3. Use the up and down arrows to scroll through the numbers and letters and select *Yes* or *No* in the Normal List field. You may wish to refer to the call letters listed in your newspaper's TV section for ideas on labeling the channels.
4. Repeat this process for each of your channels. Then press MENU or OK to continue. The TV can store up to 27 labels in memory.

The list and labels feature can also be accessed from the Channel menu. Because this procedure can be time consuming, feel free to skip this step and come back to it later.

Use the CH ^ (channel up) or CH v (channel down) buttons to change channels in the Chan # field. This works even if you're not in the Chan # field. Or, enter the channel number directly using the digit buttons on the universal remote. To enter a number greater than 99, press and hold "1" to enter the hundreds digit, then press the two remaining digits.

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How to use Your Universal Remote

This section defines the buttons of the remote and how to program it to control other components.

The universal remote can be programmed to control most brands of remote controllable VCRs, satellite receivers, and cable boxes. If you have an RCA, GE, or PROSCAN component, you probably don't need to program it at all.

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Modes of Operation

Because this universal remote can control several different components (DVD player, VCR, cable box, etc.), it uses operational modes triggered by the component buttons. For example if you want the remote to control the TV, you would press the TV button to put the remote into TV mode before you could control the TV.

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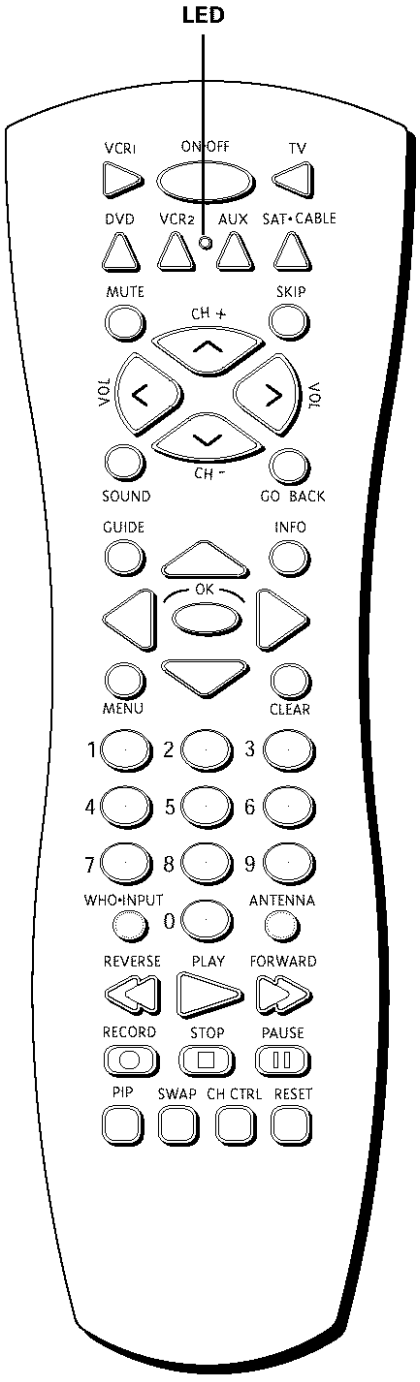
Remote Buttons



ON•OFF When in TV mode, turns TV on and off. If in another device mode (VCR, DVD, Satellite, etc.) and programmed, will turn the device on and off. When pressed twice within two seconds, all devices that are on will be turned off (this feature only works with most RCA, GE and PROSCAN products).

VCR1 Puts the remote in VCR mode and if autotuning is enabled, it will turn on the TV and tune to the correct channel.

TV Turns on the TV and puts the remote in TV mode. Also displays channel information.

DVD Puts the remote in DVD mode and if Auto Tuning is enabled, it will turn on the TV and tune to the correct channel.

VCR2 Puts the remote in VCR2 mode and if Auto Tuning is enabled, it will turn on the TV and tune to the correct channel.

LED Red light which indicates programming mode when programming the remote. Also displays when a valid remote button is pressed.

AUX When pressed, will turn on the RCA, GE or PROSCAN component you have programmed it to control. Also turns on the TV if Auto Tuning is enabled and the remote is programmed to control a TV.

SAT•CABLE Puts the remote in SAT•CABLE mode and if Auto Tuning is enabled, it will turn on the TV and tune to the correct channel.

MUTE Reduces the TV's volume to its minimum level. Press again to restore the volume.

SKIP Press once before changing channels and the TV will wait 30 seconds before returning you to the original channel. Press repeatedly to add more time.

CH ^ or CH v Scans up or down through the current channel list. Press once to change the channel up or down; press and hold to continue changing channels.

VOL< or VOL> Decreases or increases the TV's volume.

SOUND Press once to display the audio processor choice list. Point and select to choose a different processor or press CLEAR to exit.

GO BACK Returns you to the previous channel.

GUIDE In SAT•CABLE mode, brings up available on-screen guides.

INFO Brings up channel information.

MOVE (Arrows) Used to point to different items in the menu system.

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OK When in the menu system, selects highlighted items or returns you to the previous menu.

MENU Brings up the Main menu and selects highlighted items. When in VCR mode, it functions as a PROGRAM button.

CLEAR Removes any menu or display from the screen and returns you to TV viewing.

(0-9) Number Buttons Enters channel numbers, numbers for programming the remote, and time settings directly through the remote control. To enter a two-digit channel, press the two numbers. To enter a three-digit channel, press and hold the first number, release, then add the second two. For example, to tune to channel 123, press and hold 1, release, press 2, then press 3.

WHO•INPUT In TV mode, press to toggle through the available input sources (VID/SVID and the current channel). In SAT mode, press to select available channel lists.

ANTENNA Functions as TV/VCR button in VCR mode and TV/receiver button in SAT•CABLE mode.

REVERSE, PLAY, FORWARD, RECORD, STOP, PAUSE If programmed, provides transport control for some remote-controllable VCRs, DVD players, laserdisc players, tape decks, and CD players.

PIP Brings up the Picture in Picture (PIP) window. Press PIP again to remove the window. See the description of the PIP feature later in this manual for more information about using PIP.

SWAP Switches, or "swaps," the video from the PIP window with the main picture.

CH CTRL (Channel Control) Selects which picture window (main or PIP) will be changed using the CH^ (channel up) or CHv (channel down) buttons.

RESET Resets picture quality controls to the Bright Lighting picture control preset. Also used to reset some menu settings.

Using the WHO•INPUT Button

Use the WHO•INPUT button to toggle through the available input sources (VID/SVID and the current channel) and view the component you have connected to the TV.

1. Press TV to place the remote in TV mode. Make sure that the component you want to view is turned ON.
2. Press WHO•INPUT to tune to the available input source and view the component.
3. Press WHO•INPUT again to tune back to the channel you were previously watching.

Modes of Operation

Because this universal remote can control several different components (DVD player, VCR, cable box, etc.), it uses operational modes triggered by the component buttons. For example, if you want the remote to control the TV, you would press the TV button to put the remote into TV mode before you could control the TV.

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Programming the Remote

The universal remote can be programmed to control most brands of remote controllable VCRs, receivers, etc. The remote is already programmed to control most RCA, GE and PROSCAN TVs, VCRs, DVD players, laserdisc players and satellite receivers.

Testing the Remote

To determine whether the universal remote needs to be programmed, turn a device ON, such as a VCR, point the remote at the VCR, and press the VCR1 button. Then press ON•OFF or CH ^ (channel up) or CH v (channel down) to see if the VCR responds to the remote commands. If not, the remote needs to be programmed.

Programming the Remote

Using Automatic Code Search

The following instructions can be used to program the remote to control each of the devices connected to your TV. If you want to exit the automatic code search without programming any of your devices, press and hold CLEAR until the LED turns off.

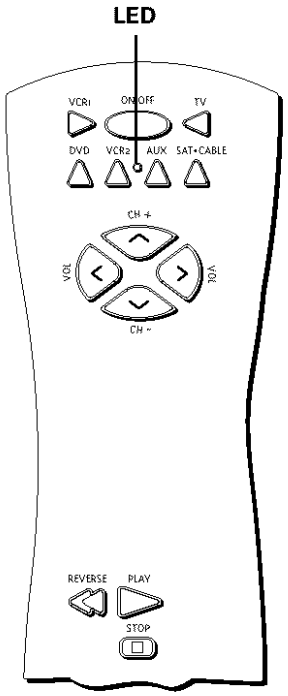
1. Turn on the device you want to control (VCR, SAT, etc.).
2. Press and hold the button you want to program (VCR1, VCR2, etc.). Note that the AUX button can only be programmed with direct entry (see the next section for details). While holding the device button, press and hold ON•OFF until the red light on the remote turns on, then release both buttons.
3. Press and release PLAY, then wait five seconds or until the LED stops flashing.

   At this point the remote is searching for the correct code to program. If, after five seconds, the device you want to control does not turn off, press PLAY again to tell the remote to search the next set of codes.

   Continue pressing PLAY until the device turns off or you have searched through all of the codes. There are 20 total sets of codes. If the device does not turn off after pressing PLAY 20 times, then the remote cannot control that particular device.

If the device you want to control *does* turn off:

1. Press and release REVERSE, then wait two seconds. Repeat this step until the device turns back ON.
2. To finish, press and hold STOP until the red light on the remote turns off.



You'll use these buttons when you program the remote to control any device.

The remote may not operate all models of all brands.

Note that the AUX button can only be programmed using direct code entry (described next in this section).

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Using Direct Entry

1. Turn on the component to be programmed.
2. Look up the brand and code number(s) for the component on the code list on the last page of this section.
3. Press and hold the button on the remote you want to program.
4. Enter the code from the code list.
5. Release button, and then press ON•OFF to see if the component responds to the remote commands. If it doesn't, try pressing the component button and then ON•OFF again.
6. If you get no response, repeat these steps using the next code listed for your brand, until the component responds to the remote commands.

Modes of Operation

Because this universal remote can control several different components (DVD player, VCR, cable box, etc.), it uses operational modes triggered by the component buttons. For example, if you want the remote to control the TV, you would press the TV button to put the remote into TV mode before you could control the TV.

Using the Remote to Control a Device

Once the remote has been programmed successfully, you are ready to use it to control your devices. To operate the device:

1. Press the device button (TV, VCR1, VCR2, DVD, or SAT•CABLE) to set the remote to control the device.
2. Press ON•OFF to turn the device ON or OFF.
3. Use the remote buttons that apply to that device.

Front Panel

If you cannot locate your remote, you can use the front panel of your TV to operate many of the TV's features.

MENU Brings up the Main menu. When in the menu system, it selects highlighted items. Also returns you to the previous menu.

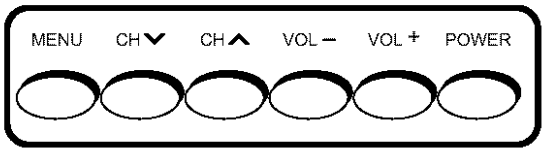
CH v Scans down through the current channel list. In the menu system, it points down to items and adjusts menu controls.

CH ^ Scans up through the channel list. In the menu system, it points up to items and adjusts menu controls.

VOL - Decreases the volume. When in the menu system, VOL – is used to point left to items and adjust menu controls.

VOL + Increases the volume. When in the menu system, VOL + is used to point right to items and adjust menu controls.

POWER Turns the TV on and off.



The front panel above shows a typical button layout. The exact look of the buttons may be different from those on the front of your TV.

The front panel block feature disables all front panel buttons if Parental Controls are locked. For more information, see Parental Control, in the *Features and Controls* section.

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The Menu System

This section explores the menus of your TV—beginning with some information on using menus and control panels.

Each menu is then outlined and special features are detailed to help you get the most from your TV.

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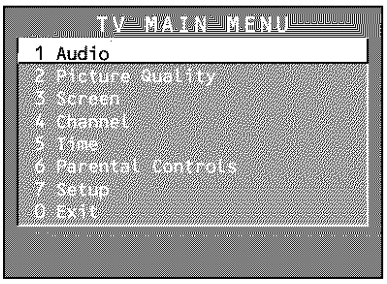
Menus and Control Panels

Using the buttons on both the remote and front panel enable you to access and make changes to the menus, control panels, and choice lists.

Menus and choice lists use the point and select rule to navigate, but control panels use a variety of methods to adjust features on your TV. The following pages detail how to use these controls to customize the functions of your TV.

Menus

The first menu is called the Main menu. Press MENU on the remote or on the front panel to bring up the Main menu:



Menus take you to another menu or a control panel. There are two ways to select a choice in a menu:

- Point with the arrows and then select with MENU or OK.
- Press a number button on the remote. For example, in the Main menu press 3 to go straight to the Screen menu.

Exiting a menu

There are three ways to exit a menu:

- Point to *Exit* and press MENU or OK.
- Press 0 on the remote.
- Press CLEAR. The on-screen displays are cleared from the screen and you return to TV viewing.

Feel free to explore the menu system. If you're ever unsure where you are in the menu system, or you're just plain tired of exploring, press CLEAR to remove the menus from the screen and start over again.

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Control Panels

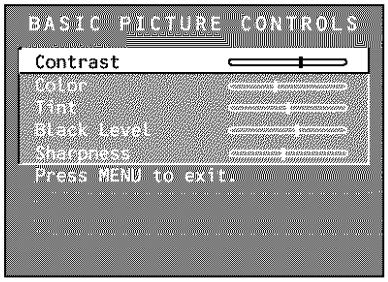
Control panels allow you to adjust the default settings on many features of your TV. You can choose a setting, enter a number, or adjust a level such as tint or brightness. There are three types of control panels: sliders, choice lists, and numeric entry.

Sliders

Sliders are used to make adjustments to a particular control.

To use a Slider in a menu:

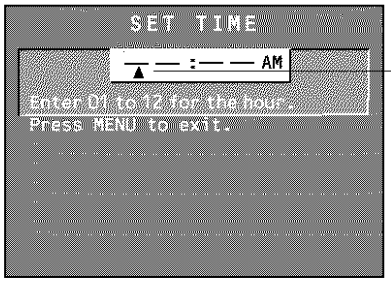
1. Press the up or down arrow to select the slider control for the feature you want to adjust.
2. Press the right or left arrow to adjust the indicator line on the slider.



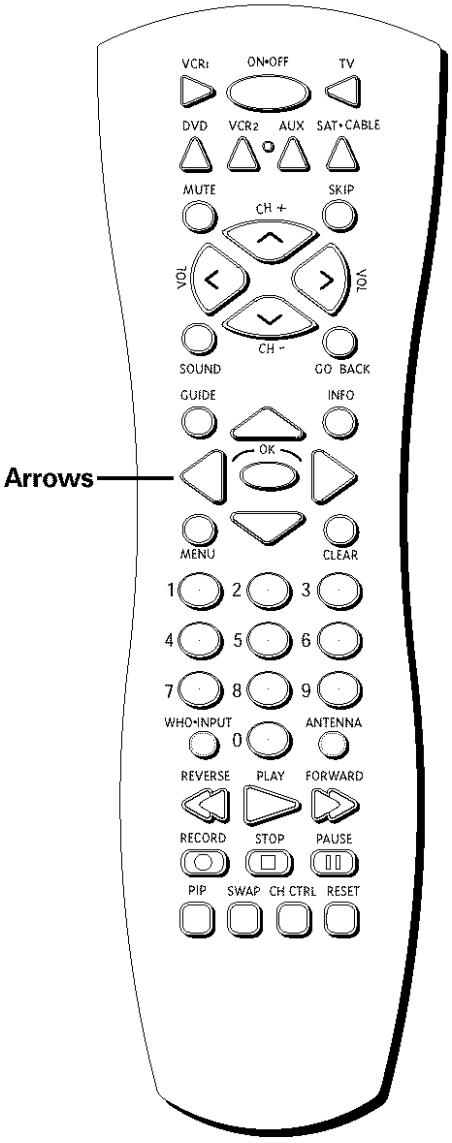
Numeric Entry

A numeric entry control panel is used to enter numbers or letters.

A pointer appears underneath the column you are changing.



1. Use the digits to enter a number in the column above the pointer.



If the control panel is not set to the current time, use the arrows to go back over the columns and the digits to make changes.

You can also enter numbers by using the up and down arrows on the remote.

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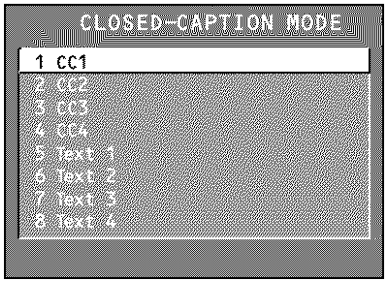
2. Press the right arrow to move to the next column, then use the digits to enter a number.
3. When you have finished entering information, press MENU or OK.

Choice Lists

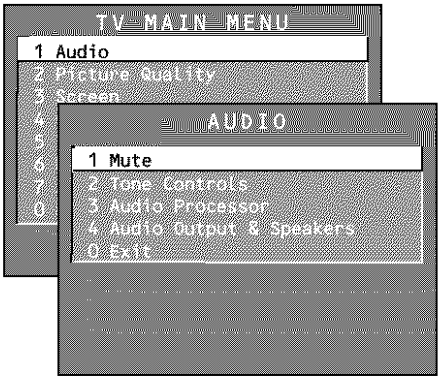
Choice lists are used to choose a particular setting from a list. When the choice list appears, the highlighted item is the one that is currently selected, or "in use."



Point to a choice on a menu and press MENU or OK to select that choice. You will then return to the previous screen.

Now that you know how to access the menus and adjust the control panels, the following pages provide a brief explanation of all the menu features. The features are organized in order of their location on the Main menu.

Audio Menu



Mute Press OK to reduce the TV's volume to its minimum level. Press OK again to restore the volume.

Tone Controls Displays the slider controls for adjusting the TV's treble, bass and balance.

Audio Processor Displays a choice list of available audio modes, which control the way the sound comes through your speakers.

Mono Plays the sound in mono only. Use this setting when receiving broadcasts with weak stereo signals.

Stereo Splits the incoming stereo audio signal into left and right channels. Most TV programs and recorded materials have stereo audio. The TV displays the word STEREO when you tune to a program that is broadcast in stereo.

Expanded Stereo Electronically "widens" sound from stereo broadcasts, stereo VCRs, digital satellite systems, DVD players, and laserdisc players for a fuller, more spacious sound.

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Sound Logic Stereo Reduces the annoying blasts in volume during commercial breaks, and also amplifies softer sounds in program material. Eliminates the need to constantly adjust volume control.

Second Audio Program (SAP) Plays the program's audio in a second language, if one is available. The TV displays the word SAP when you tune to a program that is broadcast with SAP information. SAP audio is broadcast in mono. SAP is also used to broadcast a program's audio with descriptions of the video for the visually impaired.

Audio Output & Speakers Displays a choice list that lets you turn the TV's internal speakers on or off and set the audio outputs to fixed-level or variable control level.

Variable Output, Speakers On This setting turn the TV's speakers on and allows variable output from the TV's audio output jacks.

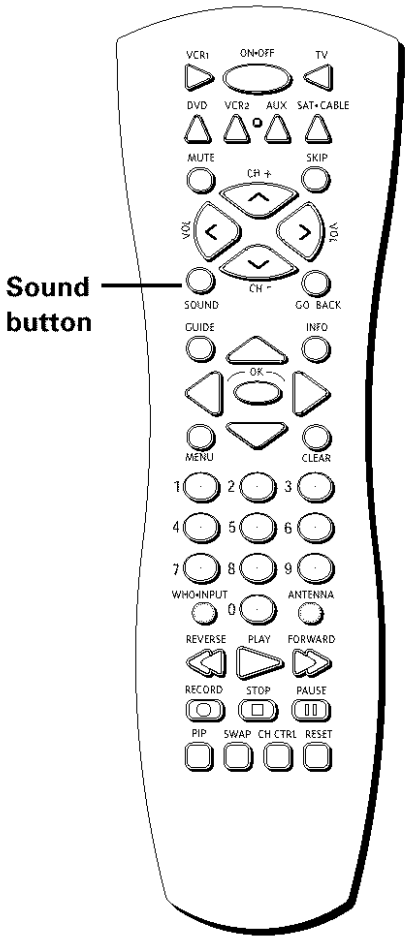
Variable Output, Speakers Off This setting turns the TV's speakers off and allows variable output from the TV's audio output jacks.

Fixed Output, Speakers Off This setting turns the TV's speakers off and allows fixed output from the TV's audio output jacks to an external device such as a surround sound amplifier. With Fixed Output On, the TV's volume control, tone controls, and mute are disabled.

Using the Remote to Select an Audio Processor

You can change the audio processor from the Audio menu, as illustrated above, or by pressing the SOUND button on the remote. To make a selection using the remote:

1. Press SOUND to display the audio processor choice list.
2. Point to and select a different audio processor or press CLEAR to exit.



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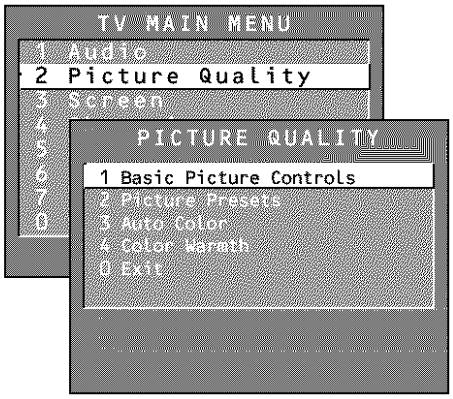
Picture Quality Menu



Basic Picture Controls Displays the five slider controls for adjusting the way the picture looks.

Contrast Adjusts the difference between the light and dark areas of the picture.

Color Adjusts the richness of the color.

Tint Adjusts the balance between the red and green levels.

Black Level Adjusts the brightness of the picture.

Sharpness Adjusts the crispness of edges in the picture.

When exiting this menu, the *Save Personal Picture Preset* choice list will appear. You can choose either Yes or No. If you save the settings as a Personal Picture Preset, the TV will store the settings so you can reselect them easily if someone changes the settings.

Picture Presets Displays a choice list that lets you select one of three preset picture settings: *Bright Lighting*, *Normal Lighting*, *Soft Lighting* or *Personal Picture Preset*. Choose the setting that is best for your viewing environment.

Auto Color Displays a choice list that lets you turn on the feature that automatically corrects the color of the picture. (This is especially useful for tracking realistic flesh tone colors as you switch from channel to channel.) Choose *On* or *Off*, depending on your preference.

Color Warmth Displays a choice list that lets you set one of three automatic color adjustments: *Cool* for a more blue palette of picture colors; *Normal*; and *Warm* for a more red palette of picture colors. The warm setting corresponds to the NTSC standard of 6500 K.

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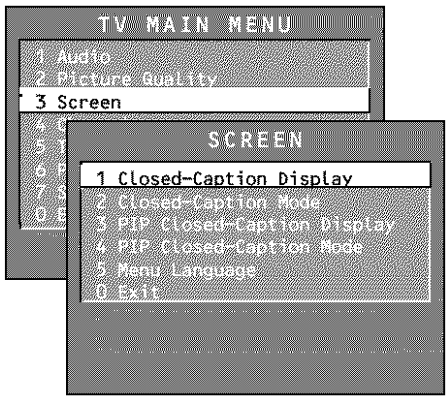
Screen Menu



Closed-Caption Display and PIP Closed-Caption Display Display a choice list that lets you choose the way closed captioning information is shown on the screen.

Off No captioning information is displayed.

On Captioning information is shown always, when available.

On When Sound is Muted (This option is available only on the *Closed-Caption Display* choice list.) Captioning information is shown, when available, whenever the TV's sound is muted. (To mute the sound, press the MUTE button.) The captioning information is not displayed when the sound is not muted.

Alternate with PIP Button (This option is available only on the *PIP Closed-Caption Display* choice list.) Selecting this option results in the following sequence when the PIP button is pressed: PIP without closed captioning, PIP with closed captioning, no PIP.

Closed-Caption Mode and PIP Closed-Caption Mode Display a choice list that lets you choose which captioning mode is used for displaying captioning information.

Menu Language Displays a choice list that lets you select your preferred language for the menus: *English*, *Spanish* or *French.*

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Using Closed Captioning

Many programs are encoded with closed captioning information, which lets you display the audio portion of a program as text on the TV screen.

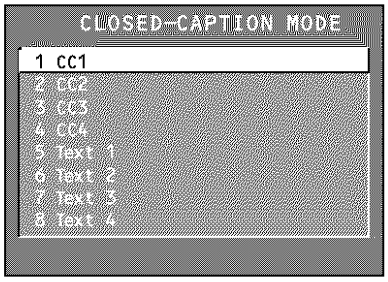
Closed captioning is not available on all channels at all times. Only specific programs encoded with closed captioning information are applicable. When a program is closed captioned, the letters CC are displayed in the channel marker. See the section *Features and Controls* for more information about the channel marker.

Closed Captioning Modes

The TV offers eight closed-captioned modes, including four text modes.

To set the Closed-Captioning Mode:

1. Select *Screen* from the Main menu.
2. Point to *Closed-Caption Mode* or *PIP Closed-Caption Mode* and press OK. A choice list displays:



3. Point to your choice and press OK to select it and return to the Screen menu.

Turning off Closed Captioning

1. Select *Screen* from the Main menu.
2. Press OK to select *Closed-Caption Display* or *PIP Closed-Caption Display.*
3. Point to *Off* and press OK. The closed captioning is turned off and you are returned to the Screen menu.

If you are unsure of the differences among the modes, you may prefer to leave the closed captioned mode set to CC1, which displays complete text of the program in the primary language in your area.

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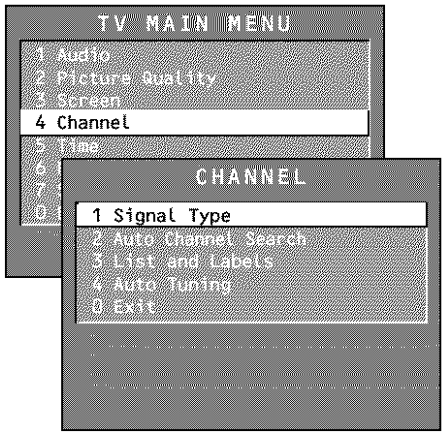
Channel Menu



Signal Type Lets you select the current antenna type.

UHF/VHF Antenna Choose this if you are currently using an off-air antenna for TV signals.

Cable TV Choose this if you are currently using cable or a cable box for TV signals.

Auto Channel Search Searches automatically for all the channels available through the antenna input. When the TV finds an active channel, it places it in the Normal channel list; inactive channels (weak stations or channels with no signal at all) will be removed from the channel list.

List and Labels Lets you edit your Normal channel list and choose a six-character label for each channel. Follow the on-screen directions to enter your channels and other information.

Chan # Use the up and down arrows to scroll up and down through the channels available via your antenna. You can enter the channel number directly using the number buttons.

Normal List Only the channels included in the Normal list are available when you scan up and down using the CH^/v buttons. Use the up and down arrows to indicate whether the channel number indicated is included (*Yes*) or is not included (*No*) in the Normal channel list.

Chan Label Use the up and down arrows to enter a six-character label for each channel. Hold the button down to scroll quickly through the characters. The TV can store up to 27 labels in memory.

Auto Tuning Displays a choice list that let the TV automatically tune to the correct input channel when you press a component button (VCR1, DVD, VCR2, or SAT•CABLE) on the remote.

Set VCR 1 Channel Lets you select the channel that the TV tunes to when you press the VCR1 button.

Set VCR 2 Channel Lets you select the channel that the TV tunes to when you press the VCR2 button.

Set DVD Channel Lets you select the channel that the TV tunes to when you press the DVD button.

Set SAT/CABLE Channel Lets you select the channel that the TV tunes to when you press the SAT•CABLE button.

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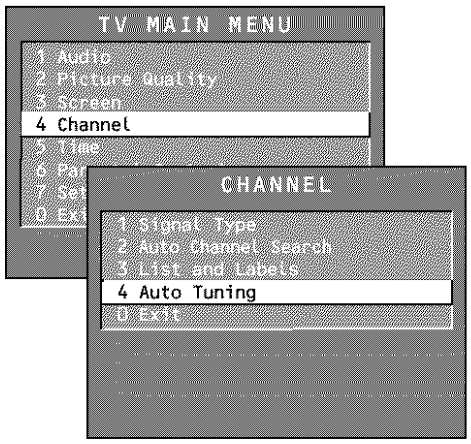
The choices for each screen are:

Not connected Choose this if you do not have a component connected to an antenna or video input on the back of the TV, or if you don't want the TV to tune to a channel when the particular component button is pressed.

Channel 2 (SAT/Cable only) Choose this if your component is connected to the antenna jack on the back of the TV, and you want the TV to tune to channel 2 when you press the specified component button. Reminder: Make sure the component's Ch 2/3/4 switch is set to channel 2.

Channel 3 Choose this if your component is connected to the antenna jack on the back of the TV, and you want the TV to tune to channel 3 when you press the specified component button. Reminder: Make sure the component's Ch 3/4 switch is set to channel 3.

Channel 4 Choose this if your component is connected to the antenna jack on the back of the TV, and you want the TV to tune to channel 4 when you press the specified component button. Reminder: Make sure the component's Ch 3/4 switch is set to channel 4.

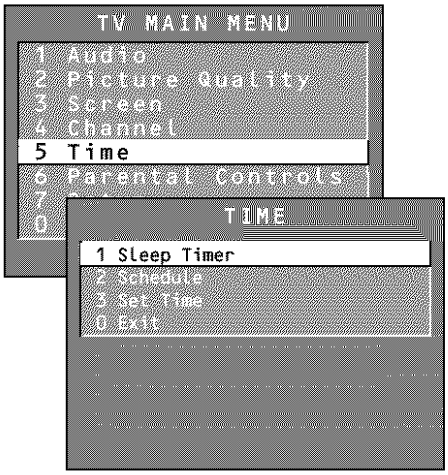


Time Menu

Sleep Timer Displays a control panel that lets you select the amount of time you want to give the TV before it shuts itself off.

Schedule Displays a control panel that lets you set up a schedule for turning the TV on and off automatically. **Make sure to turn the schedule on.** The on-screen directions guide you through the steps needed to set the schedule.

Set Time Displays a control panel that lets you enter the current time. The on-screen directions guide you through the steps needed to set the time.



Other Menus

The rest of the menus—Parental Controls and Setup—are also detailed in this manual. Look for the Setup menu in the section *Interactive Setup*. Descriptions of how to use Parental Controls are in the section *Features and Controls*.

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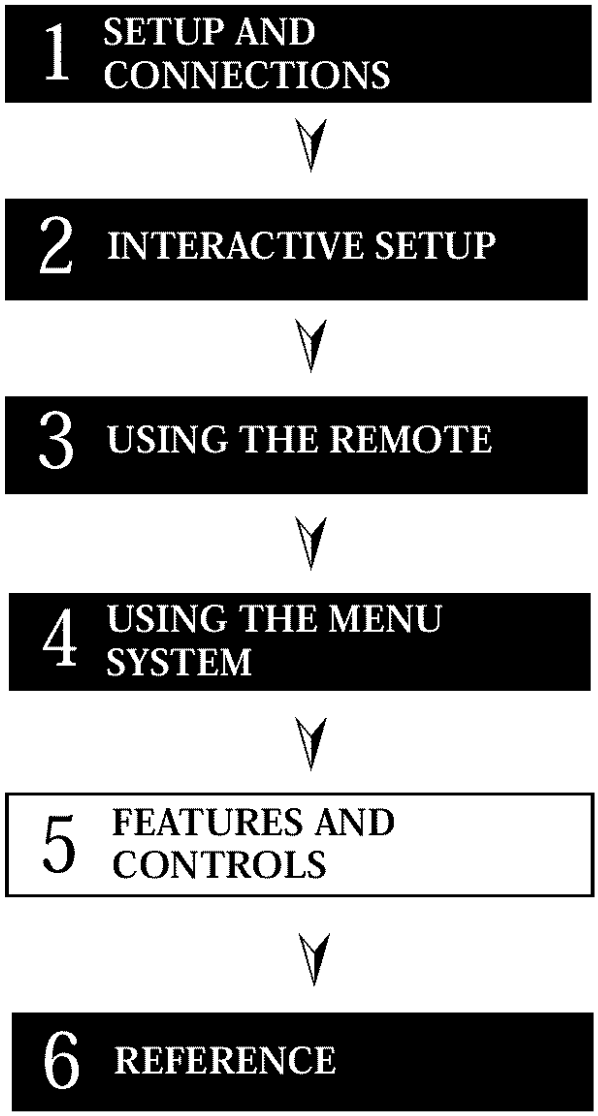
How to use the Features and Controls

This section introduces you to the features and controls with which your TV is equipped. In this section, you will learn how to use:

- The Channel Marker
- Parental controls, including V-Chip rating limits



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Channel Marker

There are several indicators that may come up when you press the TV, PIP, SWAP, channel up or down, or INFO buttons. This display is called the Channel Marker.

12:01 Displays the current time.

CC Displayed when Closed Captioning is available on the current channel.

ESPN Displays the label assigned to the current channel.

60 Displays the current channel or input channel. Pressing channel up and down changes this channel.

Mute (or Stereo) Mute is displayed when you mute the audio. Stereo is displayed when the current channel is broadcasting in Stereo.

SAP Displayed when the current channel is broadcasting SAP (Second Audio Program) information.

PIP VID1 (PIP Chan) Displays the channel to which PIP is tuned.

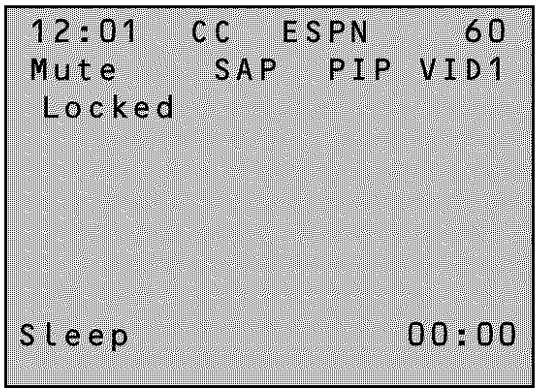
Locked Displayed when Parental Controls are locked.

Sleep Displayed when the Sleep Timer has been set.

00:00 Displayed to count down time left on the commercial skip (SKIP) timer.

You can program the TV to tune to a specific channel when you press the VCR1, SAT•CABLE, DVD and VCR2 buttons.

Check out the Auto Tuning feature in the *Interactive Setup* and *Using the Menu System* sections.



Sample displays on a Channel Marker.

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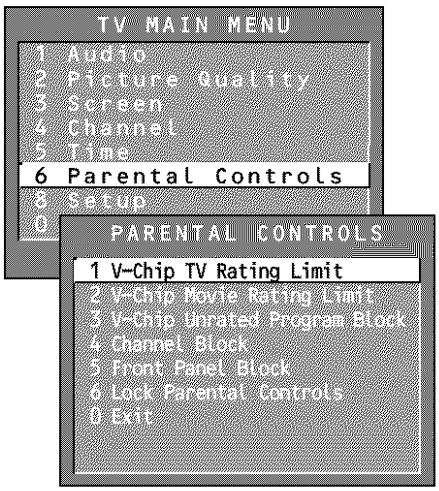
Parental Controls and V-Chip



The Parental Controls menu allows you to program your TV so children cannot see certain programs, channels, or use the front panel controls. The first three choices in the Parental Controls menu involve software inside your TV (dubbed V-Chip) which allows you to "block" TV programs and movies based on violence, sex, or other content you may believe children should not view. In other words, it lets you program your TV so it will not display certain programs. Once you block programs, you or other adults are not limited to only parent-approved programs; you can "unblock" programs by entering a password.

The V-Chip software inside your TV comes turned "off," so if you choose not to implement it, you can just ignore it.

When turned "on," the software reads a code that most broadcasters send with programs. That code tells the software the program's age-based rating (TV-MA, TV-14, etc.) and content themes (Violence (V), Adult Language (L), etc.) Broadcasters are not required to provide content themes, so programs received with no content themes will only be blocked if you block their age-based rating. You can also block out programs that have been given a rating of "Not Rated," and programs that are considered "unrated" because no code has been sent by the broadcaster.
The TV age-based ratings and content themes you can block are listed in the table below.

Age-Based Rating	Description and Content Themes for Age-Based Ratings
TV-MA	Mature Audience Only. Specifically designed to be viewed by adults and may be unsuitable for children under 17. It contains one or more of the following content themes: **crude indecent language (L), explicit sexual activity (S), graphic violence (V).**
TV-14	Parents Strongly Cautioned. Contains some material that many parents would find unsuitable for children under 14. Parents are strongly urged to exercise greater care in monitoring this program and are cautioned against letting children under the age of 14 watch unattended. This program contains one or more of the following content themes: **intensely suggestive dialogue (D), strong coarse language (L), intense sexual situations (S), or intense violence (V).**
TV-PG	Parental Guidance Suggested. Contains material that parents may find unsuitable for younger children. Many parents may want to watch it with their younger children. The program contains one or more of the following content themes: **some suggestive dialogue (D), infrequent coarse language (L), some sexual situations (S), or moderate violence (V).**
TV-G	General Audience. Most parents would find this program suitable for all ages. It contains **little or no sexual dialogue (D), no strong language (L), or situations (S), little or no violence (V).**
TV-Y7	Directed to Children 7 years and older. Designed for children ages 7 and above. It may be more appropriate for children who have acquired the developmental skills needed to distinguish between make-believe and reality. Themes and elements in this program may include mild **fantasy violence (FV)** or comedic violence, or may frighten children under the age of 7.
TV-Y	All Children. Themes and elements in this program are designed for a young audience, including children from ages 2-6. It is not expected to frighten younger children.

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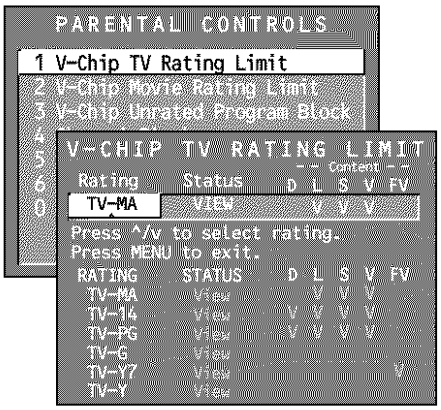
V-Chip TV Rating Limit

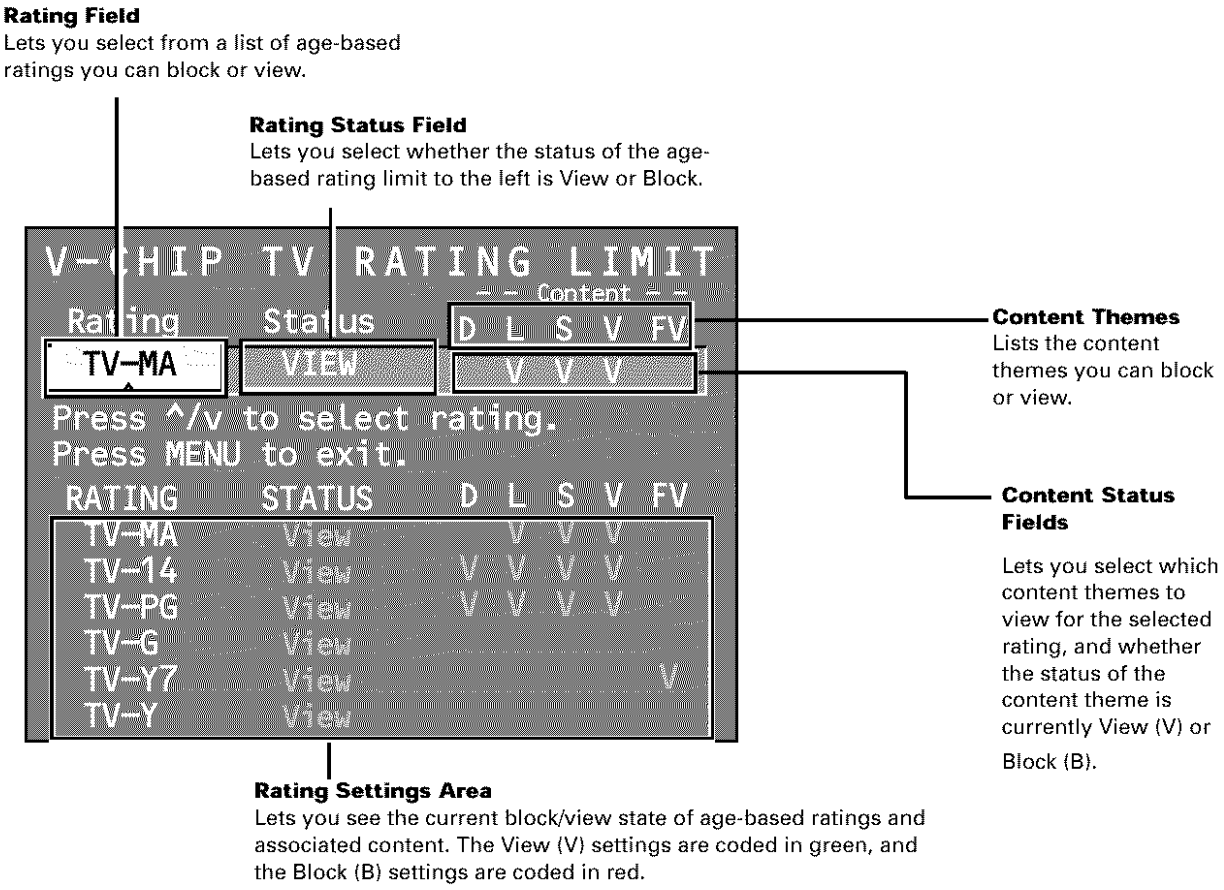
The V-Chip TV Rating Limit lets you decide what TV programs can and cannot be viewed.
To set TV programming limits:

1. Choose *Parental Controls* from the Main menu. If Parental Controls have previously been locked, you must enter your password. If they are not locked, you will get a message reminding you that your limits will not be effective until you lock Parental Controls.
2. Press MENU to continue.
3. Highlight and select *V-Chip TV Rating Limit*.
4. Once you get to the V-Chip TV Rating Limit screen, use the arrows and OK on your remote to change the status of a TV program rating or content theme from *View* to *Block*.



The Rating Limit Screen

Below is an example of where items are located within the Rating Limit screen.


Rating Field
Lets you select from a list of age-based ratings you can block or view.
Rating Status Field
Lets you select whether the status of the age-based rating limit to the left is View or Block.
V-CHIP TV RATING LIMIT
Content
Rating
Status
D L S V FV
TV-MA
VIEW
V V V
Press ^/v to select rating.
Press MENU to exit.
RATING
STATUS
D L S V FV
TV-MA View V V V
TV-14 View V V V V
TV-PG View V V V V
TV-G View
TV-Y7 View V
TV-Y View
Content Themes
Lists the content themes you can block or view.
Content Status Fields
Lets you select which content themes to view for the selected rating, and whether the status of the content theme is currently View (V) or Block (B).
Rating Settings Area
Lets you see the current block/view state of age-based ratings and associated content. The View (V) settings are coded in green, and the Block (B) settings are coded in red.

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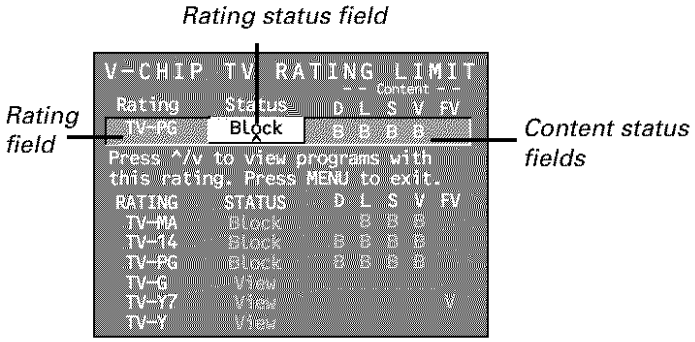
Blocking Age-Based Ratings

You can automatically block all program ratings above a specified age-based rating level. For example, if you only want your child to watch programs that have a TV-G rating and lower (in other words, you want the child to watch TV-G, TV-Y7, and TV-Y), then you need to block out other programming with higher ratings.

To block programs with higher ratings:

1. First, determine the lowest level rating you do not want the child to watch.
2. Use the left and right arrows to highlight the Rating Field.
3. Use the up and down arrows on the remote to scroll through the age-based rating limits. Keep scrolling until the rating corresponding with the lowest rating you do not want the child to watch appears.

   In the example discussed above, you would scroll through the rating field until TV-PG appears, since the highest rating you want the child to watch is TV-G.
4. Use the right arrow to move the yellow highlight to the rating status field.
5. Press the up or down arrow to toggle between *View* and *Block*. The status for the rating listed to the left and all higher ratings automatically changes to *Block* (and *B*).



6. Press MENU or OK on the remote to return to the menu or exit the screen when you are finished.
7. Select Lock Parental Controls from the Parental Controls menu. Enter a password, and if you have not already set your password, you will be prompted to enter it again to confirm.

When you change the status of a rating to *Block*, the system will automatically block higher ratings and all corresponding content themes.

Hierarchy of Age-Based Ratings	
TV-MA	Mature Audience Only
TV-14	Parents Strongly Cautioned
TV-PG	Parental Guidance Suggested
TV-G	General Audience
TV-Y7	Directed to Children 7 Years and Older
TV-Y	All Children

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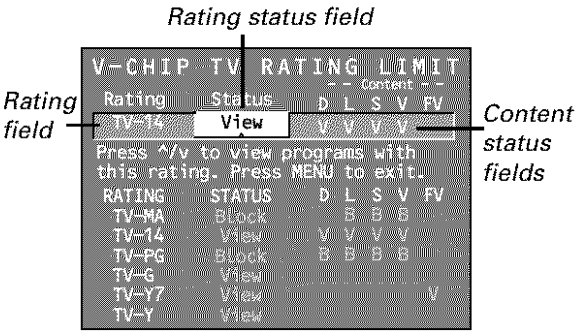
Viewing Age-Based Ratings

After you block age-based ratings, you have the option of changing some of the ratings back to *View*.

1. Determine which blocked rating you want to view.
2. Use the left and right arrows to highlight the Rating Field.
3. Use the up and down arrows to select the rating whose status is *Block*.
4. Press the right arrow to move the yellow highlight to the rating status field.
5. Press the up/down arrows to toggle from *View* to *Block*.

Note that the content status fields corresponding to the unblocked rating become *View* as well. They and the age-based rating status are the only fields that automatically change back to *View* when you complete this process.



You must remember to lock Parental Controls for rating limits to take effect.

Blocking Specific Content Themes

You can block programs based on their content. (Content is represented by the D, L, S, V, and FV on your screen. See the beginning of this section for details.) When you block a content theme for a particular rating, you automatically block that content theme for higher rated programs as well.

For example, if you do not want your child to watch programs that have adult language (L) rated TV-PG or higher, then you could block out all programming TV-PG and above containing adult language.
To block program content:

1. Determine the lowest level of content you do not want the child to watch.
2. Use the left and right arrows to highlight the Rating Field.
3. Use the up and down arrows on the remote to scroll through the age-based ratings until the rating that corresponds with the lowest content you do not want the child to watch appears. (In the example above, you would scroll through the ratings until the TV-PG rating appeared.)
4. Press the right arrow to move the highlight to the field corresponding with the content theme you wish to block.
5. Press the up or down arrow to change content status from *V* to *B*. All higher ratings' content theme will automatically change to *B*.

Content Themes	
D	Sexually Explicit Dialogue
L	Adult Language
S	Sexual Situations
V	Violence
FV	Fantasy Violence

Broadcasters are not required to provide content themes or provide age-based ratings. Programs received with no content themes will only be blocked if you block their age-based rating.

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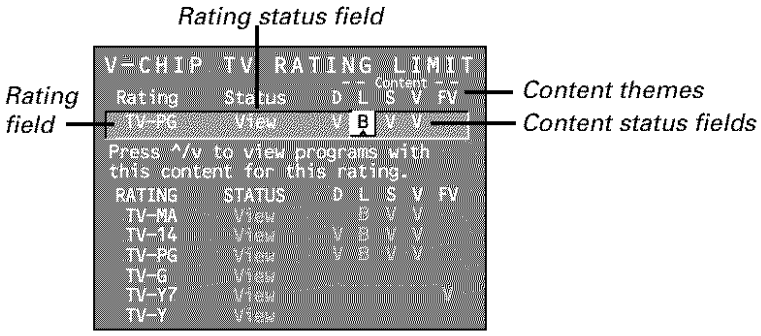
Rating status field
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Content status fields
V-CHIP TV RATING LIMIT
Rating Status D L S V FV
TV-PG View V B V V
Press ^/v to view programs with this content for this rating.
RATING STATUS D L S V FV
TV-MA View B V V
TV-14 View V B V V
TV-PG View V B V V
TV-G View
TV-Y7 View V
TV-Y View

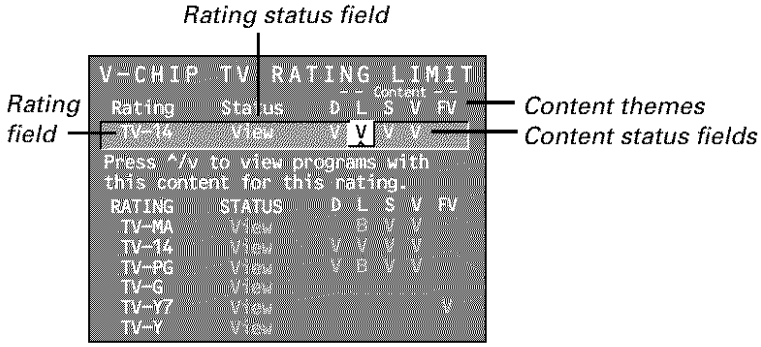
You must remember to lock Parental Controls for rating limits to take effect.

6. Press MENU or OK to return to the menu or exit the screen.

Viewing Specific Content Themes

If you block specific content themes, you have the option of going back and changing some of the content themes back to View (V):

1. Determine the content themes you want to change to View (V).
2. Use the left and right arrows to highlight the Rating Field.
3. Use the up and down arrows to scroll through the age-based ratings until the rating whose content theme you want to change to *View* appears.
4. Press the right arrow to move the yellow highlight to a particular content theme status, such as the *B* under language (L) corresponding with TV-14.
5. Press the up or down arrows to change its status back to *V*. Your child would then be able to watch programs with TV-14 adult language content, but not programs with TV-PG or TV-MA language content.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RATING STATUS D L S V FV
TV-MA View B V V
TV-14 View V V V V
TV-PG View V B V V
TV-G View
TV-Y7 View V
TV-Y View

Note that only the content theme status corresponding to TV-14 language (L) changes to View (V). Higher rated content themes, such as that for TV-MA language, do not change.

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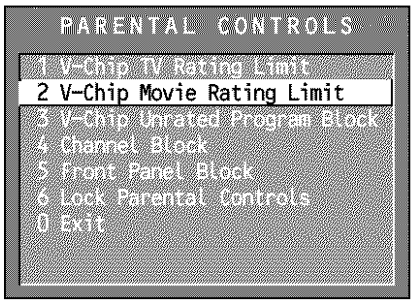
V-Chip Movie Rating Limit

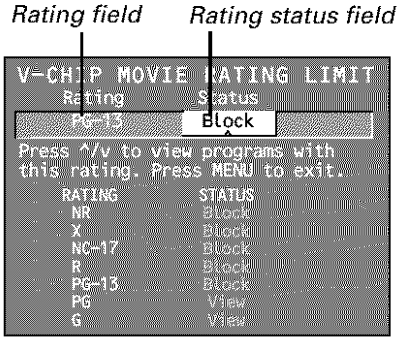
Set movie rating limits by blocking ratings above a specified level.



Blocking Movie Ratings

If you only want your child to watch movies that have a PG rating and lower (in other words, movies rated PG and G), then you could automatically block out all other movies with higher ratings:

1. Highlight the rating field and press the up and down arrows to find the rating that is the lowest rating you do not want the child to watch. (In the example above, you would point to the rating status button corresponding to PG-13, since the highest rating you want the child to watch is PG.)
2. Use the right arrow to highlight the rating status field. Press the up and down arrows to change the button from *View* to *Block*. All higher ratings' status of *View* will automatically change to *Block*.



3. Press OK to return to the menu or exit the screen.
4. If Parental Controls are not locked, you must lock them so the movie rating limits will take effect.

Some movies may be given a Not Rated (NR) rating. After blocking movie ratings, you must set NR to View separately to view NR movies.

You must remember to lock Parental Controls for rating limits to take effect.

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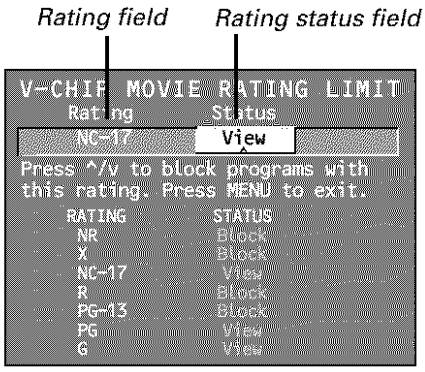
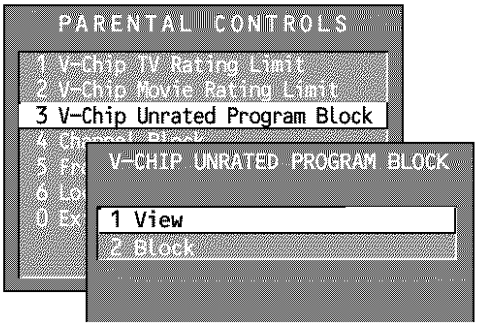
Viewing Movie Ratings



After you block movie ratings, you have the option of changing some of the rating status buttons back to View:

1. Highlight the rating field and press the up and down arrows to find the rating you want to view.
2. Use the right arrow to highlight the rating status field. Press the up and down arrows to change the button from *Block* to *View*.
3. Press MENU or OK to return to the menu or exit the screen, and be sure parental controls are locked.

V-Chip Unrated Program Block



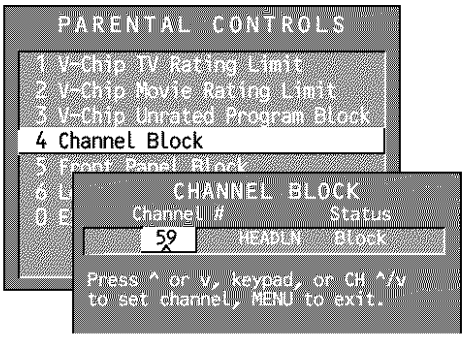
Selecting this option lets you decide if programs that the V-Chip recognizes as "unrated" can be viewed.

View All unrated programs are available.
Block All unrated programs are not available.

Don't forget to lock parental controls after you change the status of unrated program viewing. If you do not, the block will not take effect.

Note that "unrated" TV programs may include news, sports, political, local and weather programs, emergency bulletins, public announcements, and programs without ratings.

Channel Block



Selecting this option lets you decide what can be viewed.

View Makes the selected channel viewable.
Block The front panel channel buttons will tune only to channels that you have marked as *View*. The remote will still tune to the blocked channel if you use the digits to access the channel, but the channel will be blocked.

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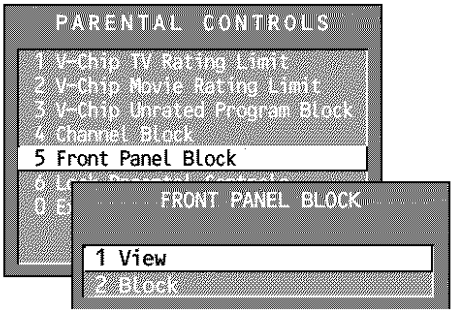
Front Panel Block



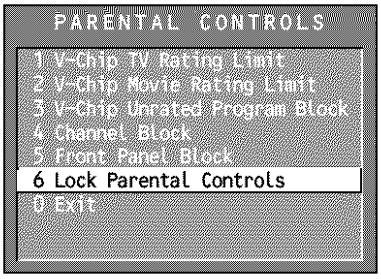
Selecting this option lets you block (disable) or view (enable) the TV's front panel. The remote still tunes to any channel.

Front Panel Block can keep children from watching TV when the parent is not present, or keep them from playing with the buttons.

(When using this as a Parental Control method, you should remove access to any remote capable of controlling the TV while you have the front panel blocked.)

Don't forget to lock parental controls after you change the status of front panel block. If you do not, the front panel block will not take effect.

Lock/Unlock Parental Controls



Selecting this option lets you lock and unlock parental controls settings using a password. **If you do not lock parental controls, none of the settings for V-Chip, Channel Block, or Front Panel Block will take effect.** If you forget your password, press and hold TV on the remote and the MENU button on the television simultaneously for 3 seconds. Parental controls will unlock. You re-enter a password via *Lock Parental Controls*.

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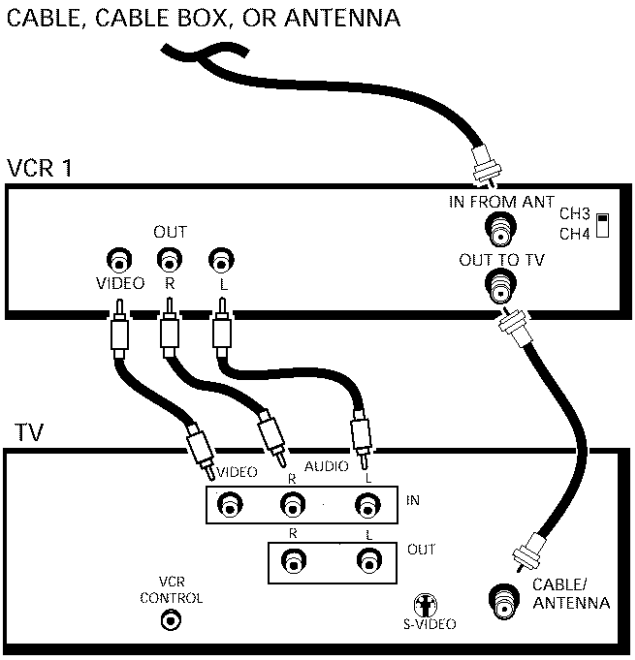
PIP (Picture-in-Picture) Operation

The PIP (picture-in-picture) feature lets you display a second, smaller picture on top of the main picture.

Your TV is equipped with a single tuner that tunes to cable or off-air television signals. The PIP feature on your TV requires a second video source, like a VCR or satellite receiver to supply the second picture to the screen. The PIP feature also requires connecting the second video source to the TV with audio/video cables.



Example of a PIP-capable connection.

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PIP Buttons

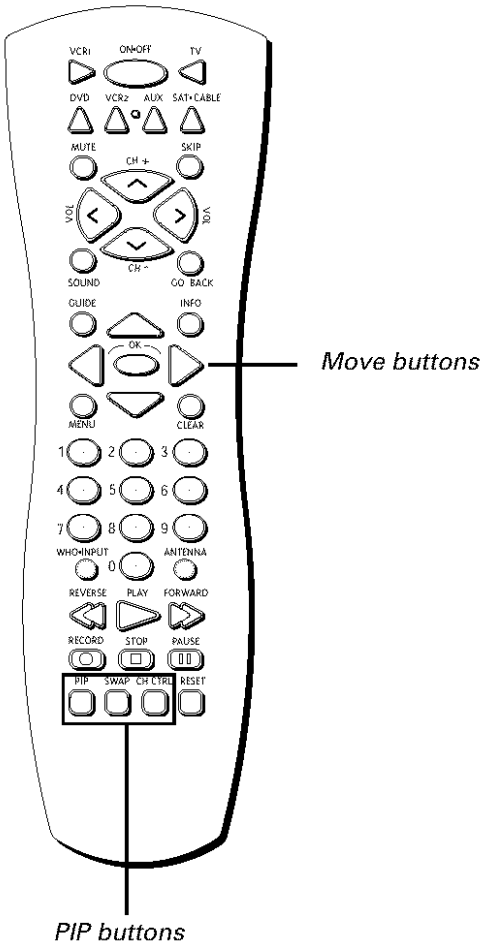
There are four remote buttons that control the way the PIP window works:

PIP Brings up the PIP window. Press PIP again to remove the window. When PIP Caption Display – Alternate with PIP – has been selected, will display captioning in the PIP window.

MOVE buttons Let you move the PIP window to different areas of the screen.

SWAP Switches, or "swaps," the video from the PIP window with the main picture. Remember that the SWAP button switches the positions of the video sources only. To switch control between the PIP or main picture window, use the CH CTRL button. To switch Closed Captioning between the two windows, change the Closed Captioning settings in the menu system.

CH CTRL (Channel Control) Lets you switch channel control between the PIP window and the main picture. To determine whether you are controlling the PIP or the main picture, bring up the Channel Marker (detailed earlier in this section). The yellow channel number is the one you are controlling.



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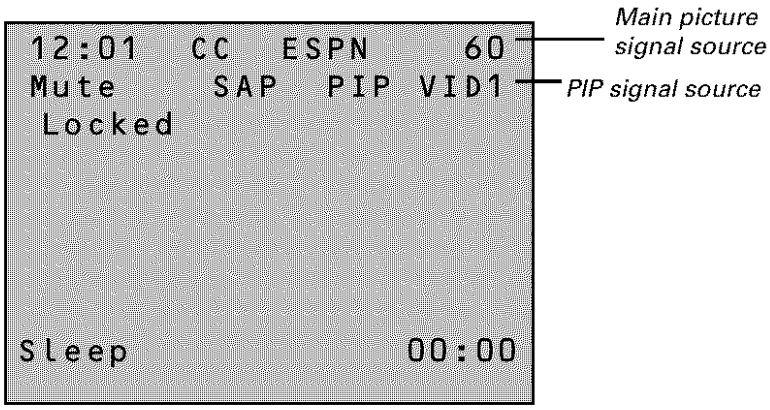
Using the PIP Feature

While you may use PIP in different ways, this basic PIP scenario should get you started. While watching the TV, follow these steps to use your VCR to supply the picture for PIP.

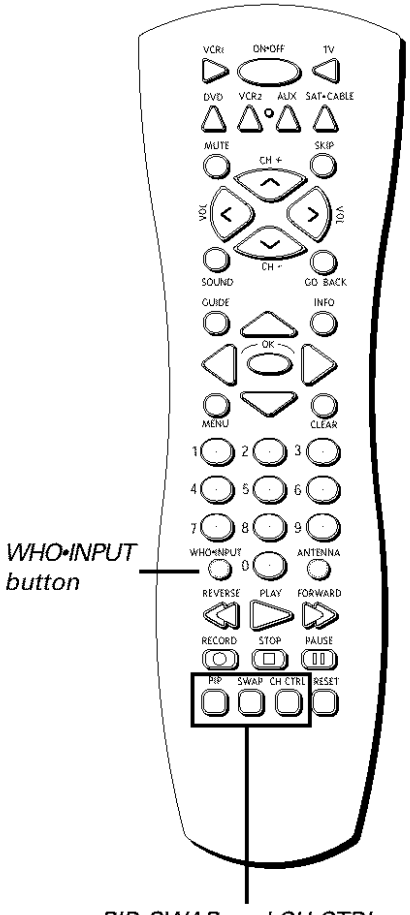
1. Press the PIP button on the remote. The PIP window appears on the screen and the PIP signal source is highlighted yellow.



You can bring up the Channel Marker at any time by pressing the INFO button.

2. Turn on the VCR.
3. Press the TV button, then press WHO•INPUT until you see the VCR signal displayed in the PIP window. The PIP window should display the channel to which you have the VCR tuned.
4. To change the program in the PIP window, you need to change the channel on the VCR because that is the signal source for the PIP picture. Press the VCR button on the remote to get into VCR mode, then change channels.
5. To change the channel in the main picture window, you need to press CH CTRL until the main picture channel number turns yellow (which means you are now controlling the main picture signal source), then use the CH^/v (channel up and down) or digit buttons to change the channel.
6. Use the MOVE and SWAP buttons to adjust the two pictures.

Note: You can program the TV to tune to a specific channel when you press the VCR1, SAT•CABLE, DVD and VCR2 buttons. This is an easy way to tune the PIP window to the correct video input channel. See the Auto Tuning feature in the "Interactive Setup" and "Using the Menu System" sections.



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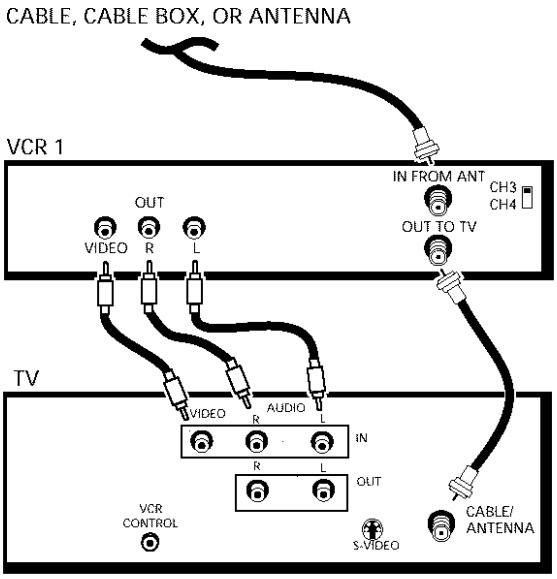
PIP Problems?

PIP requires that a second video source, like a VCR or satellite receiver, be connected to the TV with a second connection (other than the primary cable or antenna connection). An example connection is pictured below. See the " Connections" section for illustrations of other PIP-capable connections.



- **Remote not responding** Make sure the remote is in the right mode. For example, once you turn on the VCR with the VCR1 button, you can't swap the pictures until you put the remote in TV mode by pressing the TV button.
- **No signal or bad reception** Most VCRs and satellite receivers have an antenna or TV/VCR button. If your cable or off-air antenna goes into your VCR or satellite receiver then into your TV, try pressing the antenna or TV/VCR button on the front of the component.

  Tip: If programmed to control your VCR, the ANTENNA button on the remote acts as a TV/VCR button.
- **PIP window and main window show same image** Check the connections. If you use a cable box, you may need extra equipment. Contact you cable company for more information.
- **When I change channels, both windows change** Make sure the input you want to change is active before trying to change it. See also " The component button doesn't work" below for more tips.
- **Closed Captioning is in wrong window (main vs. PIP)** Closed Captioning is set for the window (main or PIP), not the image source. When you swap, Closed Captioning will remain in the same window although the signals swap.
- **The component button doesn't work** Your remote may need to be programmed to control components (see description in the " Using the Remote" section).

  If your remote is programmed, make sure that A/V signals are set to auto tune to the VID channel and that S-Video signals are set to auto tune to the SVID channel. Setting them to CH3 or CH4 may cause problems.

  That component's video input source may be set for the wrong channel. Check to make sure the input source setting matches the switch setting on the component (usually on the back panel).

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Troubleshooting

Troubles sometimes are caused by simple "faults" that you can correct without the help of a service technician. If you experience any difficulty with your TV, check a few basic remedies before calling your service technician.

TV will not turn on

- Check to make sure it is plugged in.
- Check the wall receptacle (or extension cord) to make sure it is "live" by plugging in something else.
- Maybe batteries in remote control are "dead."
- Maybe remote control is not aimed at remote sensor.
- The front panel controls may be locked (disabled). Use the remote control to unlock the front panel controls by selecting the *Front Panel Block* in the Parental Controls menu and choosing *View*.

Controls don't work

- If using remote control, make sure remote is in TV mode by first pressing TV button.
- The front panel controls may be locked (disabled). Use the remote control to unlock the front panel controls by selecting the *Front Panel Block* in the Parental Controls menu and choosing *View*.
- Try unplugging set for two minutes and then plug it back in and turn it on again.

Problems with remote

- Maybe something is between the remote and the remote sensor.
- Maybe the remote is not aimed directly at the component (TV or VCR) you are trying to control.
- Maybe remote is not in TV mode. Press the TV button so remote will control TV.
- Maybe batteries in remote are weak, dead or installed incorrectly. Try replacing batteries. (Note, if you remove the batteries, you may have to reprogram the remote to control other components.)
- Remove batteries and hold number 1 for at least 60 seconds to drain the microprocessor inside the remote. Release number 1, replace the batteries, and (if necessary) reprogram the remote.

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Turns off while playing

- You may have scheduled the TV to turn off via the Schedule function.
- Electronic protection circuit may have been activated because of a power surge. Wait 30 seconds and then turn on again. If this happens frequently, the voltage in your house may be abnormally high or low.

Blank screen

- Maybe the component connected to the input jacks is not turned on.
- Try another channel.
- Maybe you have set Parental Controls to block the channel.
- Turn off the TV. Wait five minutes. Turn on again.

No sound, picture okay

- Maybe sound is muted. Try pressing volume up button to restore sound.
- Maybe speakers are turned off. Check the Audio Output and Speakers control panel in the Audio menu.
- If using an S-VHS component, remember to also connect the component's L and R AUDIO OUT jacks to the TV's L and R INPUT jacks.

Can't select certain channel

- The channel may be blocked or not approved in the Parental Controls menu.
- If using a VCR, check to make sure the TV/VCR button on the VCR is in the correct "mode."

Noisy stereo reception

- May be a weak station. Use SOUND button to change to mono mode instead of stereo.

No picture, no sound but TV is on

- If watching VCR (connected only through antenna input), make sure TV is tuned to channel 3 or 4 – same as CH3/4 switch on VCR. Also check to make sure the TV/VCR button on the VCR is in the correct "mode."

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Sound okay, picture poor

- Check antenna connections.
- Try adjusting sharpness function to improve weak signals.

Black box appears on the screen

- Captioning may be turned on and in Text mode. Check the Closed-Caption Display control panel in the Channel menu.

Care and Cleaning

CAUTION: Turn OFF your TV before cleaning.
You can clean the TV as required, using a soft lint-free cloth. Be sure to occasionally dust the ventilation slots in the cabinet to help assure adequate ventilation.

The TV's screen may be cleaned with a soft, lint-free cloth as well. Take care not to scratch or mar the screen. If necessary, you may use a cloth dampened with warm water.

Never use strong cleaning agents, such as ammonia-based cleaners, or abrasive powder. These types of cleaners will damage the TV.

While cleaning do not spray liquid directly on the screen, or allow liquid to run down the screen and inside the TV. Also, avoid placing drinks or vases with water on top of the TV. This could increase the risk of fire or shock hazard or damage to the TV.

Caution: If fixed (non-moving) images are left on the screen for long periods, they may be permanently imprinted on the screen. Such images include network logos, phone numbers, and video games. This damage is not covered by your warranty. Extended viewing of channels displaying these images should be avoided.

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GE LIMITED WARRANTY

What your warranty covers:

- Any defect in materials or workmanship.

For how long after your purchase:

- 90 days for labor charges.
- One year for parts.
- Two years for the picture tube.

The warranty period for rental units begins with the first rental or 45 days from date of shipment to the rental firm, whichever comes first.

What we will do:

- Pay any Authorized GE Television Service Center the labor charges to repair your television.
- Pay any Authorized GE Television Service Center for the new or, at our option, refurbished replacement parts and picture tube required to repair your television.

How you get service:

- For screen sizes of 26" and smaller: Take your GE television to any Authorized GE Television Service Center and pick up when repairs are complete.
- For screens sizes larger than 26": Request home service from any Authorized GE Television Service Center, provided that your television is located within the geographic territory covered by an Authorized GE Television Service Center. If not, you must take your television to the Service Center location at your own expense, or pay for the cost the Service Center may charge to transport your television to and from your home.
- To identify your nearest Authorized GE Television Service Center, ask your dealer, look in the Yellow Pages, or call 1-800-447-1700.
- Show the Authorized Service Center Representative your evidence of purchase date or first rental.

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What your warranty does not cover:

- Customer instruction. (Your Owner's Manual clearly describes how to install, adjust, and operate your television. Any additional information should be obtained from your dealer.)
- Installation and related adjustments.
- Signal reception problems not caused by your television.
- Damage from misuse or neglect.
- Batteries.
- Customer replacement fuses.
- Images burned onto the screen.
- A television that has been modified or incorporated into other products or is used for institutional or other commercial purposes.
- A television purchased or serviced outside the U.S.A.
- Acts of God, such as but not limited to lightening damage.

Product registration

- Please complete and mail the Product Registration Card packed with your TV. It will make it easier to contact you should it ever be necessary. The return of the card is not required for warranty coverage.

How state law relates to this warranty:

- This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you also may have other rights that vary from state to state.

If you purchased your product outside the United States:

- This warranty does not apply. Contact your dealer for warranty information.

Service calls which do not involve defective materials or workmanship are not covered by this warranty. Costs of such service calls are the sole responsibility of the purchaser.

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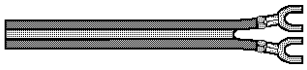
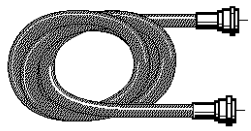
Accessory Information

The following accessories are available from most dealers and electronics supply stores in case you want to position your components farther apart or need additional cables.

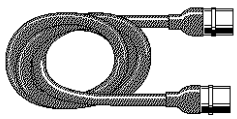


Flat 300-ohm twin-lead cable



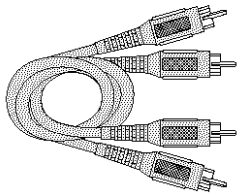
VH81 (3-ft)
VH82 (6-ft)

Screw-on Cable attaches to the round antenna connectors (called 75-ohm F-type) on the back of your VCR or TV. The ends screw onto the connectors for a secure connection.



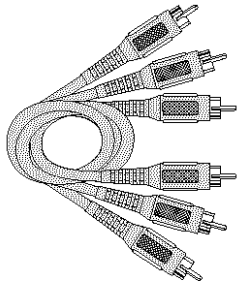
VH89 (6-ft)

Push-on Cable attaches to the round antenna connectors (called 75-ohm F-type) on the back of your VCR or TV. Ends push on for a quick connection.



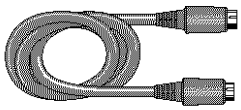
Gold-Tipped cable
VH83 (6-ft)

Monaural VCR Dubbing Cable Double cable that lets you connect the video and audio jacks of two VHS VCRs to duplicate tapes. Can also be used to connect a VCR to your TV. Cable is color-coded and shielded. Has RCA-type phono plugs on each end.



Gold-Tipped cable
VH84 (6-ft)

Stereo VCR Dubbing Cable Triple cable that lets you connect the VIDEO and AUDIO jacks of stereo components.



VH976 (6-ft)
VH913 (12-ft)

S-Video Cable has multi-pin connectors on each end for connecting S-Video components to your TV.

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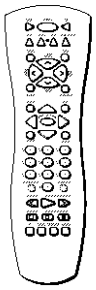
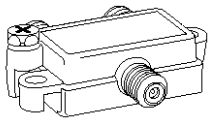


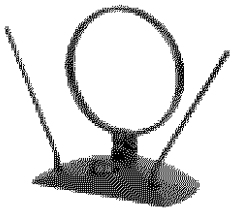
CRK76TN1

Remote Control This is the remote control that came packed with your TV. Replacements or spares can be ordered as needed.



Splitter
VH47

2-way Signal Splitter helps you connect to a second TV or VCR.



ANT200

Amplified VHF/UHF/ FM Antenna allows you to easily switch from the antenna signal to cable or satellite easily without disconnecting antenna.

Accessory Order Form

Description	Part No.	Price	Qty	
Screw-on antenna cable (3-ft)	VH81	$3.95		
Screw-on antenna cable (6-ft)	VH82	$5.95		
Push-on antenna cable (6-ft)	VH89	$5.95		
Monaural VCR Dubbing Cable (6-ft)	VH83	$5.95		
Stereo VCR Dubbing Cable (6-ft)	VH84	$9.95		
S-Video Cable (6-ft)	VH976	$7.95		
S-Video Cable (12-ft)	VH913	$14.95		
2-way Signal Splitter	VH47	$3.95		
Amplified Antenna	ANT200	$49.95		
Antenna Mixer	193984	$11.15		
Remote Control (CRK76TN1)	247621	$30.35		
Audio•Video Adapter	228449	$4.45		

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- Allow 4 weeks for delivery.
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- Prices are subject to change.

Placing an Order

To place your order by phone, have your Visa, MasterCard or Discover Card ready and call the toll-free number listed below.

Use this number only to place an order for accessory items listed on this order form.

1-800-338-0376

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